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**Vancouver's Island.**  
COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,  
9th June, 1862.  
**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT**  
Schedule hereunder written are in arrears, and that if such instalments are not paid on or before the 11th day of August, at the Land Office, the respective lands in respect of which instalments are then due will on that day be absolutely forfeited, and that all land forfeited on that day will be put up at auction at the upset price of \$4 20 an acre, on the 12th day of August, 1862, and disposed of to the highest bidder. Notice is given to the holders of the undermentioned sections that so much of the instalments as may be required for the purpose will immediately follow the payment of the same be applied in settling the claims made by the Indian Titles.  
WILLIAM A. G. YOUNG,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.

NAME OF ORIGINAL PURCHASER	Amount due and interest	Instalment on which same is due	DISTRICT.
Peers, H. N.	223 5 0	2nd	Somenos District R. 1, sec. 5, 6, 7 R. 2, " 5, 6, 7 R. 3, " 5, 6, 7
Skinner, T. J.	250 0 0	2nd	Cowichan Dist. R. 2, sec. 2, 3, 4 R. 3, " 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 R. 4, " 2, 3, 4
Worthington, H.	252 10 0	2nd	Somenos District R. 6, s. 3, East half R. 7, sec. 1, 8 R. 8, " 1, 2, 3
Mayne, R. C.	25 0 0	2nd	Quamichan Dist. R. 7, sec. 18, 19, 20 R. 8, " 18, 19, 20
Allan, Lowe & Co.	160 0 0	2nd	Somenos Dist. R. 4, sec. 4, 5, 6 R. 5, " 4, 5, 6 R. 6, " 4, 5, 6
Bedwell, E. P.	25 0 0	2nd	Somenos Dist. R. 4, sec. 8 R. 5, " 8 R. 6, " 8
Stamp, E. & Co.	161 5 0	2nd	Cowichan Dist. R. 1, sec. 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 R. 2, " 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 R. 3, " 1, 2
Southgate, J. J.	168 0 0	2nd	Quamichan Dist. R. 3, s. 20 R. 4, " 20 R. 5, " 20
Lyall, David.	160 0 0	2nd	Quamichan Dist. R. 7, sec. 10, 11, 12 R. 8, " 10, 11, 12
Brothie, W.	24 10 0	2nd	Cowichan Dist. R. 1, sec. 14
Pidwell, J. T.	104 5 0	2nd	Cowichan Dist. R. 1, sec. 18, 19, 20 R. 2, " 17, 18
Fraser, D.	166 15 0	2nd	Cowichan Dist. R. 1, sec. 8, 9, 10 R. 2, " 8, 9, 10 R. 3, " 8, 9, 10
Martin, Abraham.	24 10 0	2nd	Cowichan Dist. R. 1, sec. 13
Munroe, A.	36 0 0	2nd	Quamichan Dist. R. 7, s. 14, 15, 16, 17 R. 8, " 14, 15, 16, 17
Rosenberg, —	131 17 1	2nd	Cowichan Dist. R. 1, sec. 5, 6, 7 Somenos District R. 8, sec. 7, 8, 9 Cowichan Dist. R. 4, sec. 4, 5, 6, 7
Graham, J. A.	75 0 0	2nd	Cowichan Dist. R. 4, sec. 4, 5, 6, 7

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ESTABLISHED IN 1836.  
INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER IN 1840.  
CAPITAL.....\$5,000,000.

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PICKS, of the best form, furnished in any quantity at low rates. Orders from the country promptly attended to.  
N. B.—None genuine unless signed by my name.  
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**MR. DAVIE, FROM LONDON,**  
Member of the Royal College of Surgeons, and Licentiate of the Society of Apothecaries, London,  
HAS ESTABLISHED HIMSELF FOR practice at Victoria, V. I., and occupies the house on Fort street, just vacated by Dr. Atkinson, together with the office on Government street, next door to Mr. Searby's drug store.  
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**ROUTES TO CARIBOO.**  
**MINERS, ATTENTION**  
Nearest Highway to Cariboo  
VIA  
Douglas and Lillooet.

Read the truth and judge for yourselves.

Fare from New Westminster to Douglas per steamer Union, \$1.  
Fare from Douglas to Lillooet, by Stages and Steamers, not to exceed \$20.  
Or if you wish to walk over a good Wagon Road, the fare over the three Lakes, \$1 for each Lake.

**AMOUNT OF LAND TRAVEL OVER**  
the Wagon Road as follows:  
From Douglas to Handcock's, 4 miles.  
Thence to Ferry, 6 " "  
" Hensley's, 11 " "  
" Chapais', 1 " "  
" Gowans', 2 " "  
" Steh's (Hot Springs), 4 " "  
" Joice's, 4 " "  
" Williams', 4 " "  
" Pemberton, over the Lillooet Lakes, now connected by Steamers, (fare, \$1), 20 " "  
" Half-Way House, 12 " "  
" Anderson Lake, 12 " "  
From Anderson and Seaton Lakes to Port Seaton (fare \$1 on each Lake), 34 " "  
Thence to Lillooet flat, 8 1/2 " "  
Whole distance from Douglas to Lillooet, by land, over a good Wagon Road, 55 1/2

Remember that Lillooet is 45 Miles above Lytton.  
From Lillooet to Quesnelle City, per present Route, as follows:  
From Lillooet to Fountain, 7 miles  
Thence to Pavilion, 11 " "  
" Leon's, 11 " "  
" Big Bar Creek, 16 " "  
" Dog Creek, 10 " "  
" Alkali, 12 " "  
" Chimney Creek, 17 " "  
" Williams' Lake, 7 " "  
" Deep Creek, 10 " "  
" Round Tent, 10 " "  
" Beaver Lake, 20 " "  
" Little Lake, 16 " "  
" Quesnelle City, 7 " "

Making the entire distance (per present Route), by land, from Douglas to Quesnelle City, 227 1/2 miles, or 81 1/2 miles less of land travel than the Yale and Lytton Route.  
The Wagon Road now being constructed by Messrs. G. B. Wright & Co., and which will be opened for foot travelers or horsemen by the first of May, will shorten the present Route 20 miles, which will increase the difference in distance of land travel in favor of the Douglas-Lillooet Route to 101 1/2 miles.  
Good Houses will be found at all the points named, where feed for man and beast can be obtained.  
One thousand Mules and Horses will start from Lillooet for the Cariboo Mines during the month of April. Stages will be placed on the Wagon Road now being constructed from Lillooet to Williams' Lake as fast as completed.  
The distances above stated from Douglas to Lillooet over the Wagon Road have been ascertained by actual measurement; and from Lillooet up, from the most reliable source—viz., the Packers and Miners. apl-3mdaw

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OFFER FOR SALE  
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BLANKETS—2 1/2 and 3 point.  
PUNCHEONS RUM—30 O. P.  
PALE SHERRY—in qr casks } a small parcel.  
and octaves,  
CHAMPAGNE, MOSELE, HOCKEMER, CLARET, } very choice.  
HOLLAND GIN—de Kuypier—in bulk and case.  
CHAMPAGNE—various brands.  
BRANDY—Cognac in case, Hennessy, Martell, and other favorite brands.  
PALE ALE—in bulk and bottle.  
CANDLES—250 boxes Nava Stearine.  
ENGLISH FURNITURE.  
GLASSWARE—an assorted invoice. je2

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IMPORTERS, COMMISSION MERCHANTS  
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**Ex "J. B. Ford" and "Victor,"**  
800 QR SKS SUPERFINE FLOUR,  
200 mats No. 1 China Rice,  
400 boxes Co. 1 China Sugar,  
Bales Manila Wrapping Paper,  
Firkins Isthmus Butter,  
Hides Bacon,  
Boxes Soap,  
Bags Fine Table Salt,  
Bags Beans,  
Kegs Pickles,  
Kegs Vinegar,  
English Dairy Cheese,  
And for sale by  
DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO.,  
Wharf street.  
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**Ex "Nellie Merrill," "Adelaide Cooper," and other Recent Arrivals:**  
200 BALES CHINA NO. 1 SUGAR;  
250 chests Tea;  
400 boxes Co. 1 China Sugar;  
50 cases Extra Clear Bacon;  
82 lb bbls Pork;  
25 cases Eastern Lard;  
25 cases Eastern Bread;  
1000 boxes English Soap (Steele's).  
For sale, in lots to suit, by  
DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO.,  
Wharf street.  
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**Ex "Nellie Merrill:"**  
9R CASES MARTELL BRANDY (Pale), 1862;  
20 cases Pollevoisin;  
75 cases Brandy, A. C. Godard & Co.;  
25 qr casks Sherry, superior and medium;  
10 qr casks Scotch Whisky (Harvey's);  
5 do do (Camachie);  
100 cases Geneva, 1 doz cases;  
25 do Boker's Bitters;  
10 hhdts Bass No. 3 Ale;  
5 cases White Wine Vinegar.  
For sale by  
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Wharf street.  
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**WANTS.**  
**500 Men Wanted,**  
TO WORK ON A WAGON ROAD FROM Lillooet to Mud Lake.  
No one will be hired for a period less than two months. If they wish they can engage until the full completion of the Road. Wages will be paid in Cash on the Road, at the expiration of the time for which men are hired.  
Any persons desirous of taking sub-contracts for sections of the Road not less than five miles, will have an opportunity of so doing. Such Contractors will be paid in instalments as the Road progresses, sufficient of the amount being retained to ensure that those portions are kept in repair for four months after their completion by such Contractors.  
Application to be made to the undersigned, at Fort Douglas or Lillooet.  
G. B. WRIGHT & CO.  
Port Douglas, March 24th, 1862. je25 1m

**WANTED.**  
A WOMAN AS DOMESTIC SERVANT  
in a family with two children.  
Apply to JOHN J. COCHRANE, Land Agent, Government street. je21 1m

**Wanted.**  
SEVERAL GOOD AXEMEN, AND A SNAKE TO WORK ON A FARM.  
Apply to  
WALTON & BARNETT,  
General Agents,  
Cor. Yates and Commercial streets.  
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**Laborers Wanted,**  
TO WORK ON THE GRAND TRUNK Wagon Road from Yale to Cariboo.  
For further particulars apply to  
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General Agents,  
Cor. Yates and Commercial streets.  
N. B.—New arrivals can obtain any information respecting the Mining Districts of British Columbia, as well as the available resources of both Colonies, by calling at the office of  
WALTON & BARNETT.  
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A SITUATION BY A PERSON WHO  
has been 22 years in the Grocery, Wine and spirit business. Has a thorough knowledge of book-keeping and accounts. Unexceptionable references given. Address W. M. at this office. je10

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A PERSON HAVING, AND THOROUGHLY understanding one of Singer's Sewing Machines, wishes for work at her house.  
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A LADY FROM ENGLAND, A PUPIL of Thalberg and Clara Novello, and thoroughly understanding French, German and Italian, wishes for employment to give instruction in any of the above accomplishments.  
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Wages will be paid in cash on the Road.  
Sub-contracts will be let in large and small sections.  
For further particulars, apply to Charles Oppenheimer, at Yale and Lytton; or to Thomas B. Lewis and Walter Moberly, on the Road.  
je4 2m C. OPPENHEIMER & CO.

**WANTED**  
AT UTSALADY MILL, CAMANO IS-  
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Apply to Capt. J. Nagle, Victoria, or to the undersigned at the mill.  
GRENNAN & CRANNEY,  
Victoria, V. I., 11th April. ly

**STEAM Sash, Door and Blind FACTORY!**  
STEVENSON & HOFFMAN, Proprietors.  
THE ABOVE FACTORY IS NOW ready to receive orders and do work with dispatch in the following branches:  
Making Sash in any style or shape required. Doors of any size or style. Mouldings of any pattern.  
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PACKING BOXES MADE TO ORDER.  
All kinds of finish for building, such as Architraves, Doors, Jambs, Bases with moulding on the edge, any pattern that parties may desire.  
Also, Ceiling, tongued and grooved Flooring, Planing, Sawing, Siding,  
Panel Lumber Planed,  
Boards and Planks split, Furrings, Battings, &c. &c. In fact we are prepared to furnish all materials for building in our line, in a manner to save one half a work and expense to the contractor.  
We are also prepared to do any  
Sawing or Planing for Steamboat Work  
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Latest Improved Machinery,  
we feel confidence in informing the public that we can supply any of the above articles at the shortest notice and at  
SAN FRANCISCO PRICES,  
(LESS FREIGHT AND OTHER CHARGES.)  
We shall keep on hand a full assortment of LUMBER and articles suitable for the trade, all of which we offer for sale very low for cash.  
Steam Power to Rent, with or without shop-room, if applied for immediately.  
STEVENSON & HOFFMAN,  
Cor. Government and Wharf streets, near James Bridge, Victoria, V. I.  
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**Ex "SALAMANDER."**  
SHERRY—in case and bulk—superior  
PORT  
ORANGE BITTERS—in 1 dozen cases  
CURACAO " " "  
NOVAY " " "  
GENEVA " " "  
CHAMPAGNE—50 cases Jacquesson et Fils  
BURGUNDY—60 cases. Mercury, Nuits, Santenay, Chamberlain &c.  
BRANDY—in 1 dozen cases—Hennessy's  
ALE AND PORTER—100 casks Morice Cox & Co's.  
For sale by  
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THE UNDERSIGNED HAS IMPORT-  
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DR. ZELNER,  
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**FOR SALE—TO LET.**  
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THE MANSION HOUSE, SITUATED near Harris & Co.'s Wharf. The House is large and commodious and capable of accommodating  
**One Hundred Boarders.**  
It is partly furnished, and with small expense would be ready for customers.  
WILLIAM H. WOODCOCK.  
New Westminster, May 24, 1862.  
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**To Rent,**  
THE STORE LATELY OCCUPIED by A. P. Everett, No 10 Wharf street.  
Apply to  
GUILD, DAVID & CO.,  
No. 1 Commercial Row.  
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**For Sale.**  
THAT VERY FAST AND SUPERIOR steamer "CALEDONIA," with her tackle, boats and furniture, as she is now in very complete running order.  
—ALSO—  
The splendid light draught barge "Lady of the Lake," 70 feet long, and of 30 tons burthen, built for a steamer; together admirably suited for carrying freight and passengers to the Butte and Bentinck Inlets, or to the Stickeen River.  
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**TO RENT.**  
ON FIVE YEARS LEASES, AND AT low rates, about 200 feet of that valuable frontage on Fort street, opposite Broad street, ninety feet deep.  
Also—About 250 fronting on Broughton street.  
For particulars apply to JOHN J. COCHRANE, Land Agent, Government street, next COLONIST Office.  
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**DWELLING HOUSES TO LET IN**  
Town and Suburbs.  
A GOOD BUSINESS to be sold cheap.  
MONEY TO LOAN on good security.  
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A TWO-STORY HOUSE AND LOT, 30x120 FEET deep, on Johnson Street. A rare bargain.  
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TO LET—A House containing five rooms, all hard-finished, with kitchen and out-houses, near Government and Fort streets.  
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**Yale Steam Saw Mill.**  
THIS PROPERTY IS NOW FOR SALE, to close a partnership. For particulars apply on the premises.  
Yale, May 27, 1862. m29 1mdaw

**Lytton Steam Sawmill.**  
A ONE-HALF INTEREST IN THIS property is now offered for sale to close a partnership. For particulars apply to G. B. WRIGHT, at Lillooet, B. C., or MORIMER COCK, Lytton City. m31 1tdaw

**TO LET.**  
1 TO 3 FURNISHED ROOMS IN A pleasantly situated House across the Bridge on James' Bay suitable either for a single gentleman or a small family, on moderate terms.  
For particulars enquire of  
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STOMACH BITTERS.  
We warn the Public against a gang of scoundrels who are engaged in counterfeiting HOSTETTER'S CELEBRATED STOMACH BITTERS. These villains, who subsist by pirating, have exhibited a cunning equal to their rascality by selecting this most popular STOMACH BITTERS. Dealers from whom better things might have been expected have in some instances connived at the imposition for the purpose of sharing in the plunder.  
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Agents for the Pacific Coast,  
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F. FABRE & CO.  
WILL Manufacture at the VICTORIA SOAP WORKS, situated at Esquimalt, for the  
WHOLESALE TRADE,  
Commencing on the 1st of June, 1862,  
No. 1 Chemical Olive Soap;  
Family Pale Soap;  
Extra Honey Toilet Soap,  
AT SAN FRANCISCO PRICES.  
WANTED, in exchange for our Soaps, all kinds of Tallow, clean Grease, at Cash Prices.  
Orders respectfully solicited.  
W. M. G. HALL,  
FRANK FABRE.  
Victoria, 14th May, 1862. je16

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No. 2 Reid's Block, Wharf street.  
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Groceries and Provisions  
—ALSO—  
Importers and Agents for the best brands of French Wines and Liquors, and receive direct shipments of Havana Cigars by every Steamer.  
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East side of Government st., bet. Yates & Johnson.  
WILL PAY PARTICULAR ATTENTION TO selling, purchasing, and leasing property, to negotiating loans, and transacting everything connected with Real Estate business.  
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COMMISSION MERCHANTS,  
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Cor. Yates and Commercial streets.  
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SHIPPING AGENT,  
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Always on hand and for sale in lots to suit,  
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FROM LONDON:  
Herrings' Magnetic Brushes  
—FOR—  
Restoring Grey Hair to its Original Color.  
By using this Brush for a few weeks the Hair will become a permanent black.  
ALSO—A fine assortment of  
TOOTH, NAIL AND HAIR BRUSHES,  
Locock's Pulmonic Wafers,  
PARRY'S LIFE PILLS, &c.,  
For sale by  
CURTIS & MOORE,  
Druggists, Yates street.  
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BOOTS AND SHOES, Etc., Etc., Etc.,  
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—AT—  
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**CHARTS!**

**THE FOLLOWING CHARTS FROM**  
last Surveys can be obtained at  
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By Captain G. H. Richards, R. N.  
**Coast Survey of Vancouver Island and Gulf of Georgia.**  
By Capt. Vancouver, and other Officers of the Royal Navy.

**Vancouver Island to Cordova Bay**  
From Corrected Russian Charts.  
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BY SAME CONVEYANCE,  
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—AND—  
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## Forfeited Crown Lands—Two ways of Selling Them.

Our Acting Colonial Secretary announces that on the eleventh of August, certain lands situated in the Cowichan country will be forfeited to the Crown if the sixteen owners do not come forward and pay up the instalments due; and that on the succeeding day the forfeited land will be put up at auction and sold to the highest bidder at the upset price of four shillings and two pence an acre. We shall not stop to inquire whether such be the wisest course to take with forfeited lands. We shall not discuss whether lands once forfeited revert to the Crown, and are or are not open to pre-emption; but we shall cite this instance to show the mode in which forfeited lands are disposed of at the present time, in order to compare the new system with the old one. On the 22d of May, 1850, some 2000 acres on Sallias Island, which is a dependency of this colony, situated in the Arto Archipelago, were offered at public auction at the Land Office. Mr. B. W. Pearce was the Acting Colonial Surveyor, and Mr. J. J. Cochrane was the auctioneer. The upset price was six shillings an acre. There were only about twenty persons present, and after considerable talk and no sales, the auctioneer came to section VII., range east, 51 acres. This was purchased at the upset price by Mr. Skinner. Then the sale was stopped, but as the last and only purchaser refused to take the land except more was put up, so as to make a farm, several other sections were offered. Section 7, range west, 70 acres—a beautiful piece of prairie—was knocked down to Capt. G. T. Gordon, at 9s. 6d. Section 4, containing 86 acres, at 7s. 6d., and section 5, 86 acres, at 10s. 6d., were sold to the same bidder. As Mr. Skinner could not buy enough land to make a farm at his own price, he transferred his purchase to Capt. Gordon, who thus became the purchaser of 293 acres of land—all that was sold on Sallias Island. That was the way in which the sales were made two years ago. Nothing certainly could appear fairer on the face of it. No one could complain of government holding a hole-in-the-corner sale—all was open and above-board. The greatest carper would make no capital by carping at that transaction. The government wanted money badly; and of course sold the land to a bona fide purchaser. Outsiders though astonished at the name of the buyer, presumed that the treasury was relieved to a small extent from embarrassment. It was not long, however, before it was whispered that Mr. Cary owned the land. By some mysterious process it had fallen into his hands at \$1 an acre. Many mysterious things occurred under Gov. Douglas's rule, and this was set down among the number. Some one at the time attempted to account for it by saying that Mr. Cary, like our worthy Treasurer, was in favor of a decimal currency, and, according to the Treasury tables, over which Mr. Gordon presided shortly after, a dollar was considered to be an equivalent for 6s., 7s. 6d., 9s. 6d., and 10s. 6d. There the matter rested till the Assembly Committee met on Land Office affairs. The transfer to Mr. Cary was known to the Committee, with the altered value of the currency; but that body of purifiers for some incomprehensible end did not officially name the matter in their official report. Since then an account has appeared in the San Francisco papers, been talked about here occasionally; but till the other day has not since been mooted. The distinguished Treasurer—the pet favorite of Governor Douglas's government, who broke out of jail and ran away, yet no reward was offered for his arrest, although a few days after the magistrate offered one for the apprehension of a person who did not steal a cent's worth from his house—this quondam favorite who solemnly declares himself to be persecuted by his old pals, comes out in a letter in the Port Townsend Northwest, in which he discloses the whole transaction. He says he "was asked to buy certain lots," not all the island. That was not necessary, for if all the prairie was purchased, and the only spring on the island, no one else would have the unsold land. So the maximum rate 10s. 6d. per acre would be equivalent to 30 cents an acre for 2000 acres. Shrewd speculation, indeed! But a dollar an acre is still more shrewd, as it reduces the land to 15 cents per acre. Government street land operators who pay license, are not equal to the James Bay land agents, who were or are paid a salary for attending faithfully to the public business. The immaculate Gordon, treasurer in embryo, replied, "I have not the money." This was what every one supposed who knew him. But he was told, so he says: "On, never mind, forfeit the purchase." He did so. When, says the letter, "the (Mr. Cary, we presume) steps into the Land Office and buys the land at the upset price of \$1 per acre." This is Mr. Gordon's statement. If anything can look more like a conspiracy to defraud the colony, it is difficult to imagine it. Gordon was known to be penniless. Some one must have set him on to purchase. The public knows that Mr. Gordon was the ostensible purchaser, and he says, that "the Land Office sales book will show that Mr. Cary (or perhaps Mr. Drake as a blind) was the purchaser at the upset price of \$1.00. The real estate roll shows Cary to be the owner of the property." The public records are then cited to prove the truth of the statement. Need any one wonder that Gordon considers himself persecuted—that is deserted by his pals, proving the falsity of the proverb—"There's honor among thieves."

Sallias Island is but the archetype of the Public Springs. In the latter case a public reserve was purchased by Mr. Cary and his friend; and shortly after the attempt was made to make the townspeople pay tribute for

taking water from their own property. Like a cattle thief who a year or so ago tried to sell a man his own ox; but the latter had not the presumption to go into a court of law to back it up as the springs proprietor did. That affair ought to have induced Governor Douglas, if he were an upright governor, to have provided another Attorney General. But legal morality was brought in as an able casuist. In this Sallias Island affair, the thing looks like a conspiracy from beginning to end, to cheat the colony out of its land. In the commencement of this article we have shown how the government propose to deal with forfeited land in August next. It has pursued the same course before. Why then has the forfeited land of Sallias—the lots forfeited by Gordon—been dealt with differently? If a grant has been issued the Governor must have known it. Either he or the Colonial Secretary must have signed it. The Attorney General, now owner of Sallias Island, must, as legal adviser, have advised it. And can any one who knows the Governor's habits of acting as a man-of-all-work, believe that he was unacquainted with the sale, the first purchaser, and the transfer? If the principle of selling forfeited lands at public sale be good, no one can deny that the lots forfeited by Gordon ought to have been put up at auction again. Otherwise, what a rascally system it must be where a penniless member of the Assembly, treasurer in embryo, can bar-facely bid off land at a government sale at a higher rate than farmers would give, and then after the sale is over throw up the purchase, to let some one else get the land at a nominal price? Is that fostering the settlement of the country, or is it not corruption of the deepest dye? Glance at the plot and *dramatis personee*. The government auctioneer under instructions from the Acting Colonial Surveyor, who is under instructions from the acting Colonial Secretary, who is under instructions from the Governor, who is under the legal instructions of the Attorney-General, sells certain lots to a member of Assembly who was instructed by some one else to buy them. The purchase is recorded in the government auctioneer's book, and thus transferred to the Acting Colonial Surveyor. No sooner is the transaction in his possession than the purchaser forfeits his purchase, and the legal adviser of the Colony, from the Governor down, is recorded on the assessment roll as the owner of Sallias Island in part, but virtually as a whole. When all had been settled satisfactorily, the original purchaser appears at the last as persecuted by his former friends, and reveals the plot to the public. Do our readers require a better insight into the two ways adopted by government to dispose of lands forfeited to the Crown? Are they pleased with the new mode of cheating land as shown in the Sallias Island transaction? or does the Augean stable require purification?

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